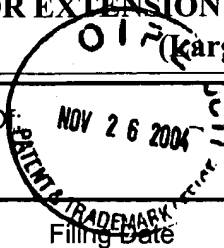


PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Large Entity)

Docket No.
APH-0101

In Re Application Of:
Grant W. Heinicke



Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/606,629	06/29/2000	E.J. Webman	23413	1617	7996

Invention:
Controlled Absorption Diltiazem Pharmaceutical Formulation

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 05/20/2004 above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☐ Two months ☒ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: August 20, 2004 until: November 20, 2004
Date *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$980** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **06-1130**
- ☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **06-1130**
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.

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